



STATE OF TENNESSEE
Tennessee Department of Correction, Bledsoe County Correctional Complex

**INVITATION TO BID # 32901-11492
FOR DOORS AND FRAMES, BCCX Site 1, TDOC**

ITB # 32910-11492 Questions and Comments #2

1. State responses to questions and comments in the table below amend and clarify this ITB.

Any restatement of ITB text in the Question/Comment column shall NOT be construed as a change in the actual wording of the ITB document.

QUESTION / COMMENT	STATE RESPONSE
<p>In regards to the number keys required, there are many instances of conflicting information. In the "Specifications_Guild_Style_Door" document, section 1.1.C states that we are to provide (2) standard mogul keys for each cylinder. Section 2.15.3 states that we are to match the Mogul cylinder keyways and keying already in use at each site and to create (1) new Mogul key code per Pod. This would equate to 4 keys per lock since each lock has 2 cylinders for a total of 64 keys.</p> <p>The "Specifications_Detention_Door_Hardware" document states in section 2.5.A.2 that we are to provide (10) Mogul keys per master code.</p> <p>The "Guild Front Door 1-A-1 drawing for 24x36" document contains the 'Hardware Group A' hardware set. There it is stated to provide a minimum of (5) factory cut keys for each deadbolt lock specified in the hardware set. This would equate to 80 keys total.</p> <p>Please state how many key codes are involved in this project, how many keys are required per code, and how many keys are required for the master code.</p>	<p>There are to be 2 mogul keys provided for each lock. These will need to be keyed per the key code at the site. This will be a total of 64 keys for the project. Disregard 10 keys per key code. Disregard 5 keys for each dead bolt lock</p>
<p>In the "Specifications_Guild_Style_Door" document, section 2.15.3 states that we are to match the Mogul cylinder keyways and keying already in use at each separate site. However other spec sections say that Brink, Folger Adam, and Southern Steel locks can be used. Depending on what the current locks are, new locks may not match those existing key codes (Southern cylinder won't work in a Brink lock).</p> <p>Please state the make and model of the existing locks and cylinders you are trying to match. If you are not trying to match existing locks and</p>	<p>It would be in the best interest of the BCCX site that the winning bidder provide the same type of lock that the site uses. This way it will make the keying of the locks more efficient for the site. The site currently has installed the Folger Adams brand locks. So with that said the lock to be bid needs to be the folger adams brand</p>

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<p>cylinders, please confirm that we can quote either a Southern lock or a Brink lock.</p>	
<p>The "Specifications_Detention_Door_Hardware" document states in section 2.5.2 that we are to provide (10) keys (Mogul ASSA) per change key code...</p> <p>Please state whether you are requiring an ASSA Mogul cylinder in the new locks or if we can quote a standard Brink or Southern Mogul cylinder.</p>	<p>There only needs to be 2 keys per lock cylinder, for a total of 64 keys. The lock to be quoted is the folger Adams</p>
<p>The "Specifications_Detention_Door_Hardware" document states in section 2.5.2 that we are to provide (3) cut keys of each code and (1000) uncut keys for the inmate key switch (Best key cylinder), and to provide (5) cut keys of each code and (250) uncut keys for the staff key switch key (Medeco key cylinder).</p> <p>It is clear that this entire document is a generic spec and these specifications are overkill when you only have (16) locks.</p> <p>Please confirm that this is not required.</p>	<p>The winning bidder is to provide 2 keys per cylinder lock. This will be a total of 64 keys. These are only for officer keys, there are no inmate keys to be provided..</p>
<p>As stated in the previous question, we feel that the document titled "Specifications_Detention_Door_Hardware" is a generic spec. Section 2.5.B calls for a key cutting machine.</p> <p>Please confirm that this is not required.</p>	<p>It is a generic spec. The key cutting machine is not required is not required</p>
<p>Please confirm that an electronic key switch is required for this project and if so, how many per opening. The key switch is referenced in the "Specifications_Guild_Style_Door" document, however it is not shown in the door elevation or hardware set in the "Guild Front Door 1-A-1 drawing for 24x36" document.</p>	<p>Two officer key switches per door</p>
<p>If a key switch is required, please state how many key codes are required, how many keys per key code are required, and how many keys per master code are required.</p>	<p>1 key code per door. 2 keys per code.</p>
<p>The "Specifications_Detention_Door_Hardware" document calls for (20) pairs of hinges, (4) closers, (20) DPSSs, (20) key switches, and (5) electromechanical locks as spare parts.</p> <p>As we have previously stated, this appears to be a generic spec and the quantities for the spare parts is overkill as many of these quantities are more</p>	<p>This is the correct number of spare parts</p>

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<p>than the number of doors being replaced on the actual job.</p> <p>Please confirm that we are to disregard these spare parts requirements.</p>	
<p>As we have shown and stated in all of our previous questions, the document titled "Specifications_Detention_Door_Hardware" appears to be a generic specification that does not seem to apply to this specific job. The documents titled "Specifications_Guild_Style_Door" and "Guild Front Door 1-A-1 drawing for 24x36" are job specific and seem to provide all the necessary information (contingent on you clarifying the previous questions) needed to provide an accurate bid.</p> <p>Please state that we can disregard the document titled "Specifications_Detention_Door_Hardware" entirely.</p>	<p>This is a generic spec for multiple sites across the state. The document cannot be disregarded as there could be some pertinent information contained in it.</p>
<p>With this being a 'furnish only' project, please state that the conduit and wire (door control wire and intercom wire) will be supplied by the facility.</p>	<p>This will be supplied by the facility</p>